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Michel PHILIPPE et al.	) )
Application No.: 10/086,451	) Group Art Unit: 1616
Filed: March 4, 2002	) ) Examiner: G. Konata \
For: ANTI-WRINKLE COSMETIC OR PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS COMPRISING POLYMERS AND SALTS THEREOF	, ) ) )

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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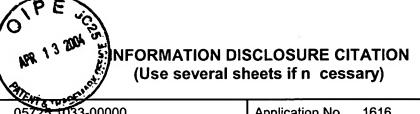
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	1	6,656,458	Dec. 2, 2003	Philippe et al.			

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	2	WO 99/49837	Oct. 7, 1999	PCT			Abstract

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